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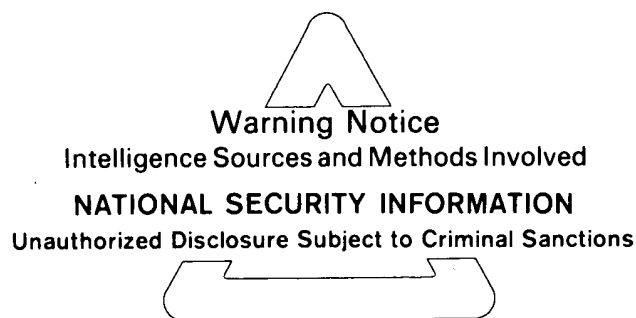
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**AIRCRAFT DEPLOYMENT**  
**MPACHA AIRFIELD, NAMIBIA**

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1. (S/D) SIGNIFICANCE: AN INCREASE IN AIR ORDER-OF-BATTLE (AOB) AT MPACHA AIRFIELD HAS OCCURRED SINCE [REDACTED]. 25X1
2. (S/D) REMARKS: THE INCREASED AOB (NOT ALL ON GRAPHIC) INCLUDES TWO IMPALA LIGHT STRIKE AIRCRAFT, SEVEN PUMA HELICOPTERS, ONE ALOUETTE III HELICOPTER, AND ONE PROBABLE DHC-3 OTTER LIGHT TRANSPORT. ONE CAMOUFLAGE-PAINTED C-47 TRANSPORT, NOT PRESENT [REDACTED] IS IN FLIGHT EAST OF THE AIRFIELD HEADING OUTBOUND. IN ADDITION, AT LEAST 40 PERSONNEL ARE ON THE MAIN PARKING APRON NEAR A PUMA. OTHER AOB (NOT ALL ON GRAPHIC) CONSISTS OF THREE ADDITIONAL IMPALA, ONE KUDU LIGHT TRANSPORT, THREE ADDITIONAL PUMA, TWO ADDITIONAL ALOUETTE III, TWO LIGHT TWIN-ENGINE AIRCRAFT, AND ONE SMALL STRAIGHT-WING AIRCRAFT. 25X1

(S/D) MPACHA AIRFIELD IS THE PRIMARY SOUTH AFRICAN TACTICAL FIGHTER BASE IN THE CAPRIVI STRIP AND IS USED BY THE SOUTH AFRICANS AS A STAGING BASE FOR OPERATIONS IN ZAMBIA. THE AIRFIELD IS 12 NM SOUTHEAST OF SESHEKE, ZAMBIA AND 9 NM SOUTH OF THE NAMIBIA-ZAMBIA BORDER.

3. [REDACTED] COORDINATES 17-38-03S 024-10-50E 25X1

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